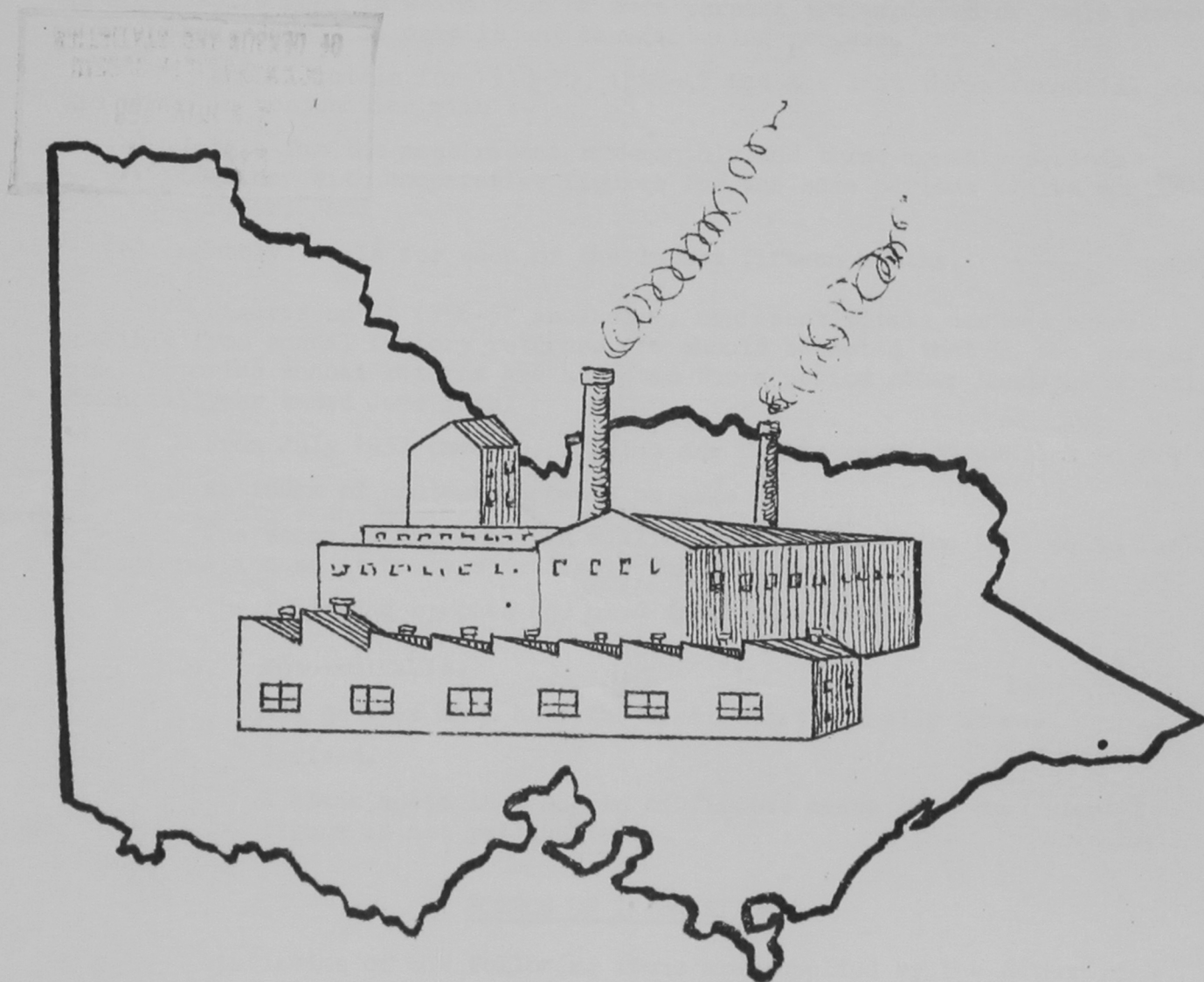


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For the purpose of the accompanying statistics, a "factory" is defined as an establishment in which four or more persons are employed or where power (other than manual) is used in any manufacturing process.

Annual totals for 1938-39, 1948-49 and the last three financial years are shown in conjunction with :-

- (a) totals for the most recent six-monthly and three-monthly periods together with comparative figures for the same periods twelve months earlier; and
- (b) monthly totals for each of the latest fifteen months.

Figures up to 1956-57 inclusive, represent totals derived where possible from annual factory returns. It should be noted that in the case of some factories annual returns are accepted for a period other than the normal financial year ended June 30th.

From July 1957 onwards, figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

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Black Coal	Joint Coal Board and State Department of Mines.
Gold	State Department of Mines.
Beer	Commonwealth Department of Customs and Excise.
Tobacco, Cigars	
and Cigarettes	
Sawn Native Timber	Forests Commission of Victoria.

Details of other items are collected by the Commonwealth Statistician.

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Item Period	FUEL			HEAT, LIGHT & POWER		Gold (Mine Production)	Sawn Native Timber
	Black Coal	Brown Coal	Briqu- ettes	Elec- tricity	Gas		
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	Mill. k.w.h.	Mill. cu.ft.	'000 fine oz.	Mill. sup.ft.
Year : 1938-39 ...	336.1	3,663	399.9	1,223	7,130	148.48	120.2
1948-49 ...	140.1	7,027	558.9	2,504	12,103	66.47	281.9
1955-56 ...	119.9	10,381	633.9	4,647	14,461	36.35	351.3
1956-57 ...	121.3	10,781	618.0	4,991	r15,746	47.72	r342.3
1957-58 ...	r109.2	r10,859	626.3	5,250	17,513	r41.49	344.1
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	54.8	6,143	326.3	2,962	9,995	22.66	180.7
Same 6 Mths., 1957	52.5	5,636	316.3	2,732	9,378	25.12	179.8
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	30.8	3,238	168.9	1,553	5,301	11.93	94.1
Same 3 Mths., 1957	25.2	2,865	156.9	1,430	5,117	11.87	93.4
Month, 1957 July...	r 9.2	986	51.4	512	1,771	r 4.60	30.8
August	r 7.9	972	50.8	481	1,697	r 3.61	31.2
September	r 8.1	907	54.7	437	1,649	r 3.66	29.4
October	11.4	917	53.8	448	1,519	r 4.56	30.9
November	10.3	r 876	56.0	413	1,345	r 3.12	29.5
December	r 8.1	r 749	31.4	378	1,238	r 3.40	22.4
1958 January	r 9.5	851	55.6	378	1,183	r 2.35	21.1
February	r 10.6	r 807	55.3	376	1,117	r 2.56	29.2
March	r 10.1	889	59.9	418	1,300	r 2.90	29.9
April	r 5.4	902	57.5	415	1,366	2.36	27.5
May ...	r 9.4	1,002	50.8	486	1,584	4.44	32.0
June...	r 9.2	1,001	49.1	508	1,744	3.93	30.2
July...	10.3	1,117	52.6	559	1,892	4.44	31.9
August	10.2	1,060	60.2	519	1,785	3.76	
September	10.3	1,061	56.1	475	1,624	3.73	

Item Period	BUILDING MATERIALS				BUILDING FITTINGS		
	Clay Bricks	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Roofing Tiles		Bath Heaters		
	Mill.	'000 sq.yds.	Cement	Terra Cotta	Solid Fuel	Gas	Elec- tric
	Mill.		Mill.	Mill.	No.	No.	No.
Year : 1938-39 ...	197.2	3,275	3.03	13.74	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49 ...	153.1	6,116	15.48	10.98	6,271	5,498	1,946
1955-56 ...	225.5	8,069	23.84	15.37	8,849	8,654	3,558
1956-57 ...	r208.1	r7,431	r19.03	r14.98	r8,426	r7,036	r2,214
1957-58 ...	239.3	7,246	19.48	15.59	7,146	7,592	1,848
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	131.4	4,080	10.87	8.73	3,781	4,157	806
Same 6 Mths., 1957	114.4	3,682	9.50	7.70	4,110	3,581	974
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	67.1	2,162	5.49	4.49	2,172	2,128	497
Same 3 Mths., 1957	60.0	1,852	4.78	3.97	2,193	1,958	545
Month, 1957 July...	19.7	621	r 1.68	1.36	1,009	676	203
August	20.9	620	1.66	1.38	826	671	215
September	19.4	611	1.44	1.23	358	611	127
October	21.9	680	1.66	1.42	376	656	183
November	20.9	629	1.62	1.36	793	553	136
December	16.8	474	1.24	0.95	317	470	170
1958 January	16.3	466	1.24	1.01	607	600	200
February	19.0	617	1.76	1.32	839	719	165
March	20.1	610	1.80	1.32	412	607	140
April	19.9	626	1.63	1.34	950	466	94
May ...	r 23.6	661	1.96	1.46	(a)	754	118
June...	20.8	631	1.79	1.44	(a)	809	97
July...	22.7	741	1.83	1.57	595	836	151
August	22.1	693	1.79	1.47	942	622	205
September	22.3	728	1.87	1.45	635	670	141

(a) Not available for publication.

Item Period	BUILDING FITTINGS					
	Sink Heaters, Electric	Coppers		Sinks, Stainless Steel	Stoves	
		Gas	Electric		Solid Fuel	Gas
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Year : 1938-39 ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	17,266	23,846
1948-49 ..	3,176	4,309	4,552	48,099	10,967	17,517
1955-56 ..	5,491	8,562	3,784	86,723	15,590	20,706
1956-57 ..	r 3,949	7,805	2,887	r 81,312	r 20,365	r 24,492
1957-58 ..	4,621	6,755	2,597	96,290	19,465	32,759
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	2,462	3,973	1,085	54,805	8,892	19,013
Same 6 Mths., 1957	1,921	3,381	1,533	41,990	12,901	15,692
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	1,129	1,919	589	28,841	5,702	11,551
Same 3 Mths., 1957	1,258	1,516	820	21,380	6,792	9,543
Month, 1957 July	419	516	282	6,751	2,097	2,805
August ...	510	503	289	6,986	2,509	3,350
September.	329	497	249	7,643	2,186	3,388
October ..	637	704	264	9,461	2,475	3,225
November .	433	538	231	9,190	2,172	2,705
December .	313	389	196	6,791	1,210	2,417
1958 January ..	234	426	127	6,524	1,153	1,977
February .	222	573	249	8,382	1,282	2,827
March	191	555	214	8,598	1,191	2,603
April	698	533	165	7,882	1,041	2,419
May	269	675	182	9,188	1,075	2,738
June	366	846	149	8,894	1,074	2,305
July	278	651	198	10,152	1,819	3,605
August ...	470	584	233	9,438	1,778	3,898
September.	381	684	158	9,251	2,105	4,048

Item Period	CHEMICALS		P A I N T S				
	Sulphuric Acid	Super Phos- phate	Ready Mixed Paints	Enamels (Natural and Synthetic)	Lacquers (Nitro- Cellu- lose)	Thinners for Lacquers	Water Paints (b)
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 Gallons	'000 Gallons	'000 Gallons	'000 Gallons	'000 Gallons
Year : 1938-39 ..	198.5	478.2	159	63	154	204(a)	659(d)
1948-49 ..	232.0	595.1	1,077	415	232	333(a)	1,032(d)
1955-56 ..	296.3	760.2	2,000	1,019	350	651	8,194(d)
1956-57 ..	r 269.2	642.9	r 1,977	r 1,290	r 367	r 617	r 7,332(d)
1957-58 ..	314.6	773.9	3,387		r 469	r 712	r 523
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	(c)	452.0	1,667		255	369	264
Same 6 Mths., 1957	162.3	403.5	1,575		207	346	(e)
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	81.0	195.8	868		125	183	149
Same 3 Mths., 1957	75.3	179.1	807		101	167	142
Month, 1957 July ..	26.7	64.1	230		r 30.0	r 57.7	r 39.0
August ..	28.9	68.6	258		r 34.5	55.7	r 53.8
September	19.7	46.4	319		r 36.6	r 53.9	r 49.7
October..	(c)	41.2	322		r 41.8	r 61.6	r 46.7
November	24.0	50.7	342		r 39.4	65.9	r 56.9
December	22.9	55.0	298		r 33.1	r 49.5	r 51.3
1958 January	23.7	58.0	230		r 36.4	49.9	r 25.4
February	25.4	63.0	299		r 40.9	r 64.0	r 44.5
March ..	29.5	70.7	290		r 46.3	67.1	r 40.2
April ..	30.4	83.3	259		r 43.4	r 62.9	r 35.3
May ..	33.9	78.9	300		r 49.3	r 71.2	r 44.0
June ..	(c)	94.0	240		r 36.9	r 52.2	r 36.0
July ..	28.2	70.7	273		r 43.3	r 57.7	r 37.8
August ..	29.3	67.5	277		43.6	61.3	48.9
September	23.5	57.6	318		38.1	64.1	62.2

- (a) Includes thinners for synthetic finishes and a small quantity of thinners for enamels.
 (b) Figures from July, 1954 to June, 1957 include small quantities of water paints in powder form.
 (c) Not available for publication.
 (d) '000 lb.
 (e) Comparable figures not available.

Item Period	S O A P (a)					
	House- hold (b)	Toilet & Hand (c)	Indust- rial (d)	Extracts & Powders	Cleansers & Scourers	Other (e)
	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.
Year : 1938-39 ...	192	18.0	(f)17.6	123	41.7	5.3
1948-49 ...	222	51.0	36.1	219	15.8	25.8
1955-56 ...	169	58.3	45.1	373	18.9	60.0
1956-57 ...	161	r52.9	r47.2	365	16.2	r61.3
1957-58 ...	181	69.1	r47.4	352	17.7	67.2
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	93.1	52.1	21.0	(g)	8.3	33.0
Same 6 Mths., 1957	81.0	25.9	24.3	162.9	8.9	31.9
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	42.9	29.1	9.8	(g)	4.2	16.3
Same 3 Mths., 1957	42.3	11.9	12.6	74.9	4.8	16.8
Month, 1957 July ...	16.02	5.93	5.07	26.23	1.64	5.47
August	14.90	3.84	r4.75	27.32	1.65	5.43
September	11.42	2.13	2.81	21.39	1.51	5.88
October	(g)	5.73	4.81	(g)	1.50	6.37
November	15.62	7.37	3.87	35.42	1.43	5.63
December	12.16	5.33	3.58	24.71	1.20	5.50
1958 January	(g)	5.17	3.62	(g)	1.22	5.40
February	(g)	3.53	3.77	30.50	1.86	5.30
March...	15.48	7.08	3.96	30.24	1.58	5.46
April...	(g)	7.95	3.59	33.73	1.33	5.15
May ...	15.91	6.33	4.13	31.60	1.38	5.91
June ...	(g)	8.74	3.46	24.21	1.42	5.65
July ...	13.45	10.06	3.09	(g)	r1.61	r5.97
August	13.99	10.28	3.40	(g)	1.30	r4.93
September	15.46	8.72	3.32	32.57	1.29	5.39

Item Period	DOMESTIC ELECTRIC APPLIANCES					Domestic Refrig- erators
	Clothes Washing Machines	Hot Water Jugs	Irons (Hand)	Toasters	Radiators &Electric Fires (h)	
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39 ...	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	(g)
1948-49 ...	n.a.	61.02	87.71	n.a.	68.06	16.28
1955-56 ...	18.50	101.77	42.59	80.88	170.47	28.10
1956-57 ...	r23.74	r101.79	r30.75	r76.52	r162.31	r21.88
1957-58 ...	24.78	112.92	26.59	85.36	150.76	41.55
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	12.73	62.29	16.48	39.82	95.92	19.84
Same 6 Mths., 1957	14.78	52.17	14.22	44.45	118.14	11.74
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	6.16	30.20	8.63	21.61	33.73	10.19
Same 3 Mths., 1957	6.79	24.55	5.69	(g)	29.88	7.93
Month, 1957 July ...	2.47	6.43	1.18	(g)	11.42	1.31
August	2.36	9.05	2.04	(g)	10.14	2.35
September	1.96	9.07	2.47	7.75	8.32	4.27
October	2.08	8.85	3.06	(g)	1.91	4.95
November	1.83	10.13	2.62	9.29	3.55	4.83
December	1.57	8.98	1.65	5.76	4.28	3.55
1958 January	1.54	6.58	1.23	(g)	9.96	3.18
February	2.22	11.19	2.23	6.63	17.48	3.81
March...	r 2.18	10.55	2.26	7.87	21.51	3.65
April...	2.05	8.73	2.01	6.27	20.84	2.88
May ...	2.49	12.25	2.42	6.53	23.41	3.75
June ...	2.03	11.11	3.42	5.41	17.94	3.02
July ...	2.16	10.79	1.95	6.16	22.29	3.94
August..	1.89	8.38	3.82	7.24	6.59	3.24
September	2.11	11.03	2.86	8.21	4.85	3.01

- (a) With active constituents of soap only or mixtures of soap and alkali.
 (b) Includes Laundry Flakes and Chips.
 (c) Includes Shaving Soap and Shampoo.
 (d) Includes Industrial Flakes and Chips.

- (e) Includes Soft and Liquid Soap.
 (f) Woolscouring Soap only.
 (g) Not available for publication.
 (h) From July 1956, includes Convection Type.

Item Period	Radios & Radio- grams (a)	Cabinets for Radios & Radiograms	Cabinets for Tele- Vision Sets	Gramo- phone Records	Motor Bodies Made or Assembled	
					For Cars	For Commercial Vehicles (d)
	No.	No.	No.	'000	No.	No.
Year 1938-39	30,572	n.a.	..	n.a.	27,406	
1948-49	78,583	47,424	..	n.a.	27,670	
1955-56	132,662	(b) 83,338	(c)	1,757	63,666	19,457
1956-57	r 86,555	r 57,995	r 38,891	r 1,624	r 50,654	r 13,423
1957-58	101,283	53,824	77,015	1,243	69,929	21,132
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	41,738	13,028	53,663	505.7	35,924	11,738
Same 6 Mths., 1957	40,781	24,379	33,546	740.3	31,609	8,526
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	23,620	5,422	26,840	272.1	18,362	5,659
Same 3 Mths., 1957	21,752	13,037	20,159	355.7	16,897	4,628
Month, 1957 July	6,585	3,942	6,332	135.6	5,724	1,398
August	7,771	5,104	7,005	113.2	5,388	1,586
September	7,396	3,991	6,822	106.9	5,785	1,644
October	14,370	(e)	7,498	99.3	6,654	1,918
November	11,191	6,885	4,407	115.1	6,592	1,830
December	10,934	6,042	2,782	97.8	4,765	1,370
1958 January	7,654	4,402	3,648	98.6	4,965	1,408
February	8,214	4,833	4,946	152.9	6,307	1,901
March	9,050	(e)	6,752	90.4	6,187	1,998
April	6,258	2,108	7,434	82.3	5,546	1,886
May	7,019	3,373	10,270	74.4	6,242	2,261
June	4,841	2,125	9,119	76.9	5,774	1,932
July	7,639	2,047	11,057	91.7	6,415	1,968
August	7,746	767	8,483	90.4	5,818	1,896
September	8,235	2,608	7,300	90.0	6,129	1,795

Item Period	ELECTRIC MOTORS				
	Under 1 H.P.	1 H.P. & under 2 H.P.	2 H.P. & under 5 H.P.	5 H.P. & under 10 H.P.	10 H.P. and Over
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Year 1938-39			n.a.		
1948-49	44,743	7,612	2,272	3,476	374
1955-56	156,878	10,463	4,217	2,837	918
1956-57	r 171,489	r 8,975	r 4,206	r 2,710	r 929
1957-58	192,491	10,345	4,615	3,460	1,311
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	99,014	5,829	2,398	1,979	592
Same 6 Mths., 1957	90,818	4,149	2,062	1,425	584
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	51,759	3,037	1,333	985	350
Same 3 Mths., 1957	45,688	2,165	1,067	792	303
Month, 1957 July	14,201	779	421	424	108
August	15,365	811	272	133	81
September	16,122	575	374	235	114
October	17,797	881	461	411	151
November	19,059	1,030	512	253	158
December	16,270	804	310	185	114
1958 January	13,100	830	328	266	101
February	17,776	983	418	312	151
March	15,546	860	454	247	91
April	16,848	885	423	309	90
May	15,373	1,336	277	387	88
June	15,034	571	365	298	64
July	20,272	1,054	500	439	99
August	14,563	1,048	249	198	133
September	16,924	935	584	348	118

(a) Figures from 1955-56 onwards include a small number of radio tape recorders.

(b) Includes Cabinets for Television Sets.

(c) Included in Cabinets for Radio and Radiograms.

(d) Excludes Truck Cabs and Trailers.

(e) Not available for publication.

Item Period	Pedal Cycles	Peram- bulators	M A T T R E S S E S			Cotton Sewing Thread(b)
			Woven Wire	Inner Spring	Other	
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000lb.
Year : 1938-39	30.97	21.09	86.82(a)	7.7	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	31.62	49.32	55.77(a)	47.2	118.7	n.a.
1955-56	33.59	56.98	117.22	158.8	104.2	789
1956-57	r24.70	r48.92	r114.26	r154.3	r105.5	872
1957-58	26.48	54.31	114.38	165.7	107.6	897
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	11.38	28.16	55.45	86.9	49.01	498
Same 6 Mths., 1957	9.34	29.93	55.19	79.6	50.01	460
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	5.83	14.97	28.76	44.3	26.05	260
Same 3 Mths., 1957	5.08	13.24	27.90	39.8	24.12	226
Month, 1957 July	1.30	3.70	8.95	15.2	7.38	83.9
August	1.80	4.97	9.69	12.9	7.76	69.8
September	1.98	4.57	9.26	11.7	8.98	72.6
October	2.96	5.59	9.95	14.7	10.36	73.7
November	3.12	5.28	10.38	14.7	11.24	79.0
December	4.16	4.41	10.70	16.0	12.83	51.3
1958 January	1.73	3.60	7.56	10.8	7.68	65.5
February	2.02	4.59	10.50	12.9	10.19	85.3
March	1.86	4.41	10.70	14.2	8.20	77.3
April	1.99	4.84	9.49	14.7	8.24	68.3
May	2.02	4.82	9.55	15.7	7.59	87.6
June	1.54	3.53	7.65	12.2	7.13	82.3
July	1.70	3.97	10.04	15.7	8.48	79.3
August	1.99	5.15	9.15	13.0	8.22	93.4
September	2.14	5.85	9.57	15.6	9.35	86.8

Item Period	COTTON TEXTILES		W O O L			
	Cotton Tweeds	Towels	Scoured or Carbon- ised	Tops	Yarns	
					Worsted	Woollen
	'000sq.yd.	'000doz.	Mill.lb.	Mill.lb.	Mill.lb.	Mill.lb.
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	(c)	38.06	11.24	7.35	8.77
1948-49	826	165.7	61.84	15.87	13.64	14.23
1955-56	517	305.1	55.03	15.61	11.66	12.47
1956-57	619	r 318.4	r 63.63	r 19.28	r12.17	r 14.27
1957-58	661	336.7	59.68	17.86	10.80	14.55
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	272	170.9	26.98	9.28	4.64	6.48
Same 6 Mths., 1957	300	179.0	33.44	10.20	6.04	7.70
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	109	90.5	12.90	4.67	2.07	3.13
Same 3 Mths., 1957	128	96.2	15.79	4.95	2.80	3.95
Month, 1957 July	37.4	29.6	6.10	1.82	1.00	1.38
August	45.3	32.1	5.24	1.57	0.89	1.25
September	45.3	34.5	4.45	1.56	0.91	1.32
October	60.8	30.1	5.11	1.63	1.07	1.49
November	63.7	29.5	5.63	1.43	0.96	1.32
December	52.8	24.8	4.76	1.11	0.72	0.99
1958 January	44.5	19.5	4.28	1.23	0.75	0.97
February	73.0	27.2	4.77	1.42	0.97	1.28
March	75.2	29.0	5.26	1.48	0.96	1.20
April	61.9	22.9	4.37	1.37	0.91	1.16
May	50.7	28.8	4.89	1.57	0.90	1.15
June	50.6	28.7	r 4.82	1.67	0.76	1.04
July	49.2	29.1	4.96	1.49	0.69	1.05
August	33.9	34.2	3.96	1.46	0.61	1.01
September	26.0	27.2	3.98	1.72	0.77	1.07

- (a) Excludes Mattresses made and incorporated in folding beds and stretchers.
 (b) Counts over 12's up to June, 1957. Thereafter counts over 18's.
 (c) Not available for publication.

Item Period		WOOLLEN TEXTILES						Other Broadwoven Cloth (Rayon & Synthetic Fibres)
		Worsted (a)		Woollen (a)		Blankets	Rugs	
		Pure	Mixture	Pure	Mixture			
		'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000	'000	'000 sq.yds.
Year : 1938-39 ..			15,198			595	53.9	n.a.
1948-49 ..			21,939			879	69.1	n.a.
1955-56 ..			14,435			925	68.8	n.a.
1956-57 ..		r 6,338	r 511.8	r 7,519	r 4,271	r 906	r 67.9	r 12,749
1957-58 ..		5,502	693.6	7,258	4,319	975	70.8	12,638
Latest 6 Mths., 1958		2,412	360.0	2,767	1,466	487	46.5	6,277
Same 6 Mths., 1957		3,330	284.9	3,859	2,462	510	48.2	7,128
Latest 3 Mths., 1958		1,206	174.2	1,313	710	231	22.2	3,253
Same 3 Mths., 1957		1,672	153.0	1,915	1,204	265	22.6	3,454
Month, 1957 July ..		582.9	51.42	677.1	420.2	95.1	8.13	r 1,249
August		546.1	52.24	619.9	358.7	82.2	6.92	1,013
September		544.4	49.35	618.3	425.0	87.9	7.57	1,191
October		565.6	57.25	744.0	435.6	100.1	6.16	1,472
November		490.2	63.58	663.8	452.7	84.2	4.29	1,170
December		331.6	45.98	497.6	344.7	58.2	2.77	787
1958 January		347.2	52.20	548.3	329.2	59.3	1.54	639
February		431.6	71.59	740.2	408.8	71.2	4.38	1,027
March		456.0	64.28	694.8	388.6	80.8	4.75	1,066
April		420.0	59.80	591.4	308.3	88.5	5.03	886
May ..		404.4	64.91	518.3	243.0	88.0	9.78	946
June ..		382.1	61.01	344.0	204.5	80.0	9.46	1,192
July ..		452.3	50.78	414.3	215.8	95.3	7.80	4,103
August		r 353.0	60.42	407.4	224.1	71.1	7.00	1,023
September		400.3	63.03	491.7	270.5	64.4	7.40	1,127

Item Period		UNDERWEAR			FOUNDATION GARMENTS			Bathing Suits and Trunks
		Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Infants & Baby- wear	Corsets	Corselets	Bras- siers	
		'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	
Year : 1938-39 ..			1,242		108.5	13.82	185.7	23.3
1948-49 ..			1,338		73.5	6.77	139.4	27.7
1955-56 ..		675	1,297	33.0	81.6	4.17	252.7	57.0
1956-57 ..		r 719	r 1,396	r 41.8	r 77.9	r 3.73	r 260.3	r 59.5
1957-58 ..		729	1,422	33.4	98.0	3.83	309.3	59.8
Latest 6 Mths., 1958		390	700	16.0	51.9	2.66	175.3	33.2
Same 6 Mths., 1957		361	708	18.6	42.4	2.11	134.0	35.7
Latest 3 Mths., 1958		203	361	8.4	26.8	1.40	84.7	21.8
Same 3 Mths., 1957		186	373	9.3	23.8	1.02	69.3	21.9
Month, 1957 July ..		62.0	124.3	2.89	7.31	0.34	22.7	6.11
August		59.1	124.1	2.98	8.33	0.36	23.4	7.82
September		65.3	124.1	3.43	8.17	0.32	23.2	7.94
October		73.3	140.3	2.71	10.05	0.23	26.3	9.32
November		65.1	130.7	2.33	10.23	0.23	25.1	7.86
December		49.0	108.8	2.15	7.20	0.19	20.0	4.32
1958 January		42.0	89.4	2.42	5.90	0.12	19.6	1.48
February		63.8	123.5	3.65	8.17	0.45	27.9	1.57
March		61.9	118.0	3.19	7.57	0.33	30.5	1.97
April		60.0	116.0	3.19	8.13	0.37	28.7	2.65
May ..		63.5	r 120.0	2.49	9.56	0.45	32.4	4.11
June ..		63.5	102.6	1.94	7.34	0.44	29.5	4.68
July ..		69.2	125.4	2.65	9.54	0.35	31.4	7.16
August		64.9	117.5	1.89	8.64	0.51	26.9	8.18
September		69.2	118.4	3.86	8.67	0.54	26.4	6.42

(a) Prior to July 1956 excludes wool in admixture with rayon.

Period	Item	HOSIERY (a)					
		Women's, Maids' & Girls'			Men's	Infants'	Total
		Full Fashioned	Circular	Anklelets	& Boys'	& Baby Wear	
Year : 1938-39 1948-49 1955-56		'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.
			1,616		893	266	2,775
			1,185		1,047	497	2,729
		1,748	92	620	1,263	229	3,952
New Series - Dissection not comparable.							
		Women's			Men's	Child- ren's	Infants'
		Full Fashioned	Circular	Anklelets			Total
		'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.
Year : 1956-57		r1,858	r 138	201	1,211	r 656	r 4,147
1957-58		1,431	218	206	r 1,197	630	3,774
Latest 6 Mths., 1958		743	182	89	582	358	1,994
Same 6 Mths., 1957		860	84	111	622	325	2,049
Latest 3 Mths., 1958		398	102	46	290	188	1,045
Same 3 Mths., 1957		413	43	56	317	166	1,019
Month, 1957 July		149	16.6	19.8	105	55.7	355
August		144	14.2	16.4	106	55.0	343
September		120	12.3	19.4	106	55.4	321
October		r 137	15.6	24.2	r 120	55.9	r 363
November		129	15.2	21.9	119	53.4	348
December		100	14.6	16.1	82	38.2	261
1958 January		77	11.7	13.1	65	35.3	208
February		118	17.6	16.6	104	57.2	320
March		112	19.9	15.7	98	55.1	308
April		r 102	24.3	14.3	92	53.6	r 293
May		127	27.1	r 14.6	106	59.1	341
June		116	28.9	r 13.9	94	56.5	315
July		129	36.6	15.1	95	62.0	344
August		135	30.9	15.2	92	62.4	r 343
September		134	34.0	16.2	103	64.0	358

Period	Item	CARDIGANS, PULLOVERS, ETC. CLOTHING-MEN'S & BOYS'						
		Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Women's and Maids'	Girls'	Infants' & Baby Wear	Shirts	Pyjama Suits
		'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.
Year : 1938-39 1948-49 1955-56 1956-57 1957-58				248.7(b)			271.0(c)	73.17
				322.7			263.6	79.64
		198.2		480.8		43.98	550.8	99.43
		r 208.5		r 557.8		r 49.96	r 653.9	r 93.26
Latest 6 Mths., 1958		142.0	51.8	435.7	189.1	59.04	r 676.9	116.59
Same 6 Mths., 1957		68.7	25.8	205.1	101.7	25.87	394.3	68.58
Latest 3 Mths., 1958		73.4	28.4	238.9	78.6	30.19	370.4	58.17
Same 3 Mths., 1957		29.5	11.2	97.9	49.6	12.26	240.8	30.47
Month, 1957 July		33.7	12.0	110.9	45.5	13.19	215.2	25.97
August		11.5	4.4	35.1	13.3	4.54	74.7	7.79
September		11.6	3.6	37.5	15.1	3.98	70.3	9.38
October		10.6	4.0	38.3	17.1	4.67	70.2	8.80
November		12.8	4.2	38.2	15.0	r 5.15	82.4	9.88
December		12.0	3.1	37.0	14.3	5.49	71.1	8.53
1958 January		8.8	3.3	27.8	15.7	4.19	48.4	4.93
February		8.5	4.2	28.9	11.6	5.23	24.6	5.39
March		13.2	5.0	44.2	16.2	5.89	41.1	11.46
April		13.8	5.4	41.5	18.7	6.27	40.6	12.32
May		13.9	5.2	38.8	17.7	4.95	44.4	13.75
June		14.3	5.3	38.5	17.0	4.85	49.4	14.21
July		11.0	4.1	29.9	17.4	3.81	59.7	10.15
August		10.6	3.7	34.3	16.3	4.23	83.4	9.10
September		9.3	3.6	31.3	15.8	4.16	69.7	10.89
		9.6	3.9	32.3	17.5	3.87	87.7	10.48

(a) From July, 1956 the dissection has been collected on a different basis.

(b) Knitted only.

(c) Excludes knitted.

Item Period		MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)				
		Suits			Trousers	
		Men's & Youths'		Boys'-	Men's & Youths'	
		3 Piece	2 Piece	2 Piece	Sports	Work
		'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39 ...		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49 ...		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1955-56 ...		25.4	286	54.9	961	629
1956-57 ...		20.2	265	57.9	886	639
1957-58 ...		14.3	253	39.6	809	610
Latest 6 Mths., 1958...		6.08	132.1	14.5	429	299
Same 6 Mths., 1957...		8.76	126.0	20.9	420	306
Latest 3 Mths., 1958...		2.95	69.6	7.5	242	159
Same 3 Mths., 1957...		4.28	70.5	9.6	230	150
Month, 1957 July ...		1.44	23.0	3.67	73.1	46.7
August ...		1.30	25.0	3.36	76.3	50.1
September		1.54	22.5	2.55	80.6	53.2
October ...		1.24	26.0	3.21	82.4	57.5
November...		1.58	22.3	4.88	78.1	54.4
December...		1.32	22.1	6.37	58.5	59.0
1958 January ...		0.46	12.2	3.43	46.5	36.6
February...		1.10	18.3	2.50	63.8	50.7
March ...		1.19	18.8	2.65	63.1	61.2
April ...		0.97	19.5	1.45	56.8	47.3
May ...		1.05	24.4	3.76	68.6	48.8
June ...		1.11	18.6	1.82	61.3	44.6
July ...		1.01	22.6	1.65	80.0	45.1
August ...		0.91	23.3	3.86	76.8	55.7
September		1.03	23.7	1.97	85.3	57.8

Item Period		MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)					
		Sports Coats- Men's & Youths'	Blazers		Overalls		Overcoats & Raincoats
			Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's & Youths'
		'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39 ...		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49 ...		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1955-56 ...		285	19.3	31.3	690	169	154
1956-57 ...		265	26.2	28.2	710	84	151
1957-58 ...		244	30.4	26.3	837	96	118
Latest 6 Mths., 1958...		119	13.8	11.7	387	(a)	63.5
Same 6 Mths., 1957...		129	15.0	13.9	399	38.02	78.1
Latest 3 Mths., 1958...		74	7.1	5.1	192	(a)	15.2
Same 3 Mths., 1957...		83	8.1	6.1	211	16.86	18.4
Month, 1957 July ...		23.4	2.34	1.16	66.5	(a)	8.0
August ...		27.0	2.48	2.11	68.6	(a)	6.1
September		32.3	3.30	2.78	76.3	5.00	4.3
October ...		27.8	3.17	1.85	77.3	4.26	4.5
November...		27.7	3.24	2.10	88.0	18.43	3.0
December...		17.6	3.55	2.87	68.6	12.97	3.3
1958 January ...		11.7	1.45	1.69	50.9	6.19	6.7
February...		15.2	2.04	3.09	78.3	6.54	16.3
March ...		15.6	2.13	1.96	66.5	7.38	17.3
April ...		12.6	2.02	2.00	60.7	7.33	16.7
May ...		16.2	2.09	2.92	65.6	6.52	18.3
June ...		16.9	2.55	1.72	69.3	(a)	13.3
July ...		21.0	2.48	2.39	63.5	(a)	7.9
August ...		25.1	2.02	1.68	64.6	3.81	3.8
September		27.5	2.63	1.03	63.5	(a)	3.5

(a) Not available for publication.

Item Period	GLOVES (Not Rubber)			FOOTWEAR (Not Rubber)		
	Dress		Work	Boots and Shoes	Sandals	Slippers (a)
	Leather	Other				
Year : 1938-39	Doz.prs. 929	Doz.prs. n.a.	Doz.prs. n.a.	'000 prs. 7,464	'000prs.	'000prs. 4,218
1948-49	31,262	21,458	15,707	7,324	776	4,549
1955-56	3,602	32,113	31,575	8,909	598	4,872
1956-57	3,624	r 44,830	r 31,343	r 9,470	r 706	r 5,055
1957-58	2,637	51,225	30,655	9,577	883	5,657
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	1,288	20,948	18,086	6,091		3,238
Same 6 Mths., 1957	2,267	27,892	14,996	5,386		2,780
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	677	10,822	9,873	3,524		1,428
Same 3 Mths., 1957	985	15,117	7,703	2,834		1,266
Month, 1957 July	407	4,115	2,520	842	80.3	426
August	303	5,641	2,573	843	103.4	418
September	275	5,361	2,610	852	113.4	422
October	231	5,275	2,654	968	115.0	430
November	290	5,650	2,594	896	120.0	479
December	137	3,263	1,912	653	77.3	362
1958 January	29	3,630	1,881	549	35.4	300
February	189	4,568	3,024	784	35.5	485
March	165	3,596	2,674	792	33.4	523
April	157	3,340	2,908	789	39.7	600
May	271	3,709	2,575	825	62.1	637
June	183	3,077	2,730	784	67.1	573
July	269	3,380	3,382	1,075		439
August	225	3,620	3,149	1,183		527
September	183	3,822	3,342	1,266		462

Item Period	HIDES & SKINS USED IN TANNERIES				
	CATTLE HIDES			Calf Skins	Sheepskins (including Pelts)
	Yearlings	Light (up to 45 lb.)	Heavy (45 lb. & over)		
Year : 1938-39	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000 doz.
1948-49		793.00		378.0	64.33
1955-56		1,027.00		587.0	69.50
1956-57	45.76	562.85	463.66	372.3	42.28
1957-58	r 36.61	r 525.59	r 476.95	r 278.9	r 38.09
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	49.33	594.15	434.89	312.2	33.05
Same 6 Mths., 1957	27.75	343.90	212.52	150.49	18.07
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	21.53	293.07	261.87	175.66	16.10
Same 3 Mths., 1957	12.47	166.85	109.95	86.72	9.57
Month, 1957 July	10.97	149.59	134.23	90.31	9.08
August	3.23	56.02	49.21	27.75	3.16
September	4.69	49.59	41.82	32.01	2.93
October	3.05	43.98	43.20	30.55	2.99
November	3.75	46.98	45.23	31.92	3.23
December	5.45	41.67	35.14	33.46	3.21
1958 January	3.50	28.79	25.66	21.64	1.73
February	2.13	42.10	31.12	21.25	1.93
March	2.25	56.76	31.27	27.57	2.51
April	6.00	51.21	29.67	22.30	2.86
May	5.27	54.31	31.90	17.98	2.79
June	5.19	62.72	35.28	22.72	2.63
July	4.82	60.02	35.39	23.07	3.08
August	2.45	61.87	36.98	26.90	3.18
September	4.94	54.54	35.30	30.18	3.29
	5.08	50.44	37.67	29.64	3.10

(a) From July 1958 includes Soft Sole Nursery Shoes.

Item Period	M E A T					
	Beef & Veal	Lamb	Mutton	Pork	Bacon & Ham	Total (In terms of fresh Meat)
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons
Year : 1938-39 ...	114.0	58.69	77.44	10.76	7.37	271.94
1948-49 ...	118.0	53.00	61.80	8.60	10.20	255.30
1955-56 ...	136.9	59.22	82.15	11.05	7.77	299.87
1956-57 ...	155.0	53.09	72.55	10.80	7.45	301.53
1957-58 ...	171.9	60.75	103.81	12.92	r 8.28	360.67
Latest 6 Mths., 1958...	90.2	24.10	41.06	5.96	4.33	167.27
Same 6 Mths., 1957...	83.5	21.97	38.34	5.21	3.69	154.04
Latest 3 Mths., 1958...	43.4	12.80	19.98	2.67	2.16	81.75
Same 3 Mths., 1957...	41.8	10.61	18.68	2.51	1.84	76.03
Month, 1957 July ...	14.5	3.28	r 5.78	0.92	0.70	25.38
August ...	13.8	3.32	5.31	0.79	0.58	24.02
September	13.5	4.01	r 7.59	0.80	0.56	26.63
October ...	14.1	6.94	10.29	1.03	0.75	33.39
November...	13.5	10.16	10.42	1.09	0.72	36.14
December...	12.9	r 9.17	10.44	1.72	0.90	35.46
1958 January ...	13.8	4.59	11.97	1.05	0.61	32.26
February...	14.2	4.00	11.76	1.06	0.62	31.87
March ...	14.8	3.98	9.17	1.17	0.67	30.00
April ...	14.5	3.71	7.94	1.07	0.80	28.31
May ...	16.8	3.85	7.79	1.26	0.67	30.64
June ...	r15.5	3.74	5.35	0.96	0.70	26.57
July ...	16.7	4.43	6.76	0.88	0.79	29.87
August ...	13.4	3.92	6.40	0.84	0.70	25.48
September	13.3	4.45	6.82	0.95	0.67	26.40

Item Period	WHEAT PRODUCTS			Butter	Cheese	Margarine- Other than Table
	Flour	Bran	Pollard	(a)	(a)	
	'000 Short tons	'000 Short tons	'000 Short tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	Cwt.
Year : 1938-39 ...	436.8	95.24	90.18	56.62	8.64	64,830
1948-49 ...	479.3	98.88	98.66	60.40	18.35	70,495
1955-56 ...	451.5	85.46	94.94	90.67	13.94	57,123
1956-57 ...	500.3	88.52	109.24	88.57	20.20	r74,748
1957-58 ...	477.7	81.52	98.14	86.18	13.81	72,729
Latest 6 Mths., 1958...	220.7	37.49	43.51	25.00	4.88	43,026
Same 6 Mths., 1957...	246.2	41.63	52.93	27.32	5.40	35,768
Latest 3 Mths., 1958...	122.5	20.87	24.06	17.20	3.43	22,540
Same 3 Mths., 1957...	130.6	22.01	28.33	18.60	3.36	17,632
Month, 1957 July ...	45.1	7.49	9.85	3.22	0.62	6,109
August ...	45.0	7.56	9.94	5.98	1.05	6,141
September	40.5	6.96	8.54	9.40	1.69	5,382
October ...	46.3	7.82	9.72	12.43	2.17	6,216
November...	50.5	8.65	r10.41	r13.32	2.02	6,895
December...	42.4	7.38	8.58	12.40	1.82	7,561
1958 January ...	39.6	6.88	7.83	9.66	1.34	3,466
February...	36.7	6.43	7.18	6.52	0.91	5,457
March ...	33.4	5.73	6.64	5.45	0.74	5,016
April ...	28.4	4.81	5.65	3.51	0.56	6,290
May ...	35.6	6.01	7.08	2.31	0.45	7,052
June ...	34.2	5.80	6.72	1.98	0.44	7,144
July ...	40.4	6.81	7.82	2.79	0.63	8,685
August ...	42.1	7.20	8.29	5.37	1.13	6,473
September	40.0	6.86	7.95	9.04	1.67	7,382

(a) Factory production only.

Period \ Item		PROCESSED WHOLEMILK				Oatmeal and Rolled Oats	Edible Starch	Malt
		Condensed		Powd- ered	Other			
		Sweet- ened	Unsweet- ened					
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 bushels
Year :	1938-39 ...	24,063		21,443	n.a.	141.4	n.a.	2,425
	1948-49 ...	82,105		30,225	15,954	194.9	90.2	3,271
	1955-56 ...	69,945	20,822	24,839	25,321	102.3	119.0	5,338
	1956-57 ...	r79,340	r21,172	r24,476	r24,856	r124.9	r135.9	r5,671
	1957-58 ...	75,082	21,904	24,369	23,182	106.1	127.6	5,860
Latest 6 Mths.,	1958	16,558	(a)	8,791	10,697	76.0	70.1	2,910
Same 6 Mths.,	1957	21,977	(a)	9,163	9,443	77.7	66.0	2,993
Latest 3 Mths.,	1958	9,342	(a)	6,173	6,801	19.5	39.7	1,445
Same 3 Mths.,	1957	15,158	(a)	6,146	5,623	17.3	33.2	1,506
Month, 1957	July ...	2,401	(a)	1,075	1,569	6.8	11.5	519
	August..	5,062	(a)	1,956	1,739	6.6	11.8	r 500
	September	7,695	(a)	3,115	2,315	3.9	9.9	487
	October	11,280	(a)	3,606	2,689	2.9	12.1	501
	November	11,974	3,967	r 3,424	2,365	3.0	12.9	505
	December	10,088	(a)	3,089	2,832	1.5	9.1	491
1958	January	7,709	1,357	2,572	2,402	3.9	8.3	472
	February	6,179	898	1,689	1,688	6.8	11.0	449
	March...	5,478	(a)	1,225	1,687	14.2	10.6	471
	April...	3,628	1,596	844	1,616	23.0	8.8	478
	May ...	1,871	(a)	921	1,130	21.0	11.6	501
	June ...	1,717	248	853	1,150	12.5	10.0	486
	July ...	1,408	(a)	1,259	1,525	8.7	12.2	492
	August..	2,811	(a)	2,034	2,397	7.7	13.2	504
	September	5,123	(a)	2,880	2,879	3.1	14.3	449

Period \ Item	CANNED FRUIT & VEGETABLES				Tomato Juice	Tomato Sauce	Tomato Soup
	Apricots, Peaches, Pears	Green Peas	Toma- toes	Other Vege- tables			
	Mill. lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 Gallons	'000 Gallons	'000 Gallons
Year : 1938-39 ...	89.92	(c)961	1,185	(d)2,809	n.a.	1,059	560
1948-49 ...	85.71	4,110	2,740	13,710	1,274	1,664	2,747
1955-56 ...	123.89(b)	6,076	1,514	23,481	725	1,373	2,444
1956-57 ...	r122.02	r8,544	r5,020	r27,207	725	r1,795	r3,331
1957-58 ...	r174.44	11,922	1,681	22,316	515	1,369	2,052
Latest 6 Mths., 1958	(a)	(a)	(a)	10,031	(a)	488	(a)
Same 6 Mths., 1957	40.6	(a)	1,766	12,078	96	665	1,003
Latest 3 Mths., 1958	..	..	..	4,642	..	259	(a)
Same 3 Mths., 1957	(a)	..	..	5,212	..	190	227
Month, 1957 July ...	..	..	..	2,202	..	81	64
August..	..	..	..	2,044	..	47	88
September	(a)	..	..	966	..	62	75
October	..	..	..	2,056	..	97	(a)
November	..	2,049	..	2,152	..	77	(a)
December	0.41	5,199	..	1,347	(a)	66	(a)
1958 January	24.26	4,616	(a)	1,356	54	90	180
February	52.10	(a)	626	2,505	206	314	665
March...	67.22	..	724	2,299	212	306	581
April...	r28.80	..	244	1,254	38	155	148
May ...	1.52	..	..	2,343	..	32	32
June ...	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,792	(a)	42	67
July ...	..	..	..	1,547	..	88	129
August..	..	..	..	1,600	..	82	(a)
September	..	..	..	1,495	..	89	(a)

(a) Not available for publication.

(b) Includes Tasmanian production.

(c) Includes mint-processed peas.

(d) Excludes mint-processed peas.

Period	Item	Ice Cream	Bis- cuits	Confectionery		Jam, (inc. Conserves, Fruit Spreads etc.) (a)	Beer (b)	Tobacco Cigars, Cigar- ettes (c)
				Chocolate or con- taining Chocolate	Other			
		'000 gallons	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. gallons	Mill. lb.
Year ; 1938-39 ..		1,066	20.36	13.45	19.07	49.57	31.45	(d)7.61
1948-49 ..		3,874	32.13	21.48	22.35	75.77	43.95	9.75
1955-56 ..		4,396	42.75	23.56	32.50	41.69	71.59	14.00
1956-57 ..		r3,610	r45.00	r26.40	r34.06	r40.78	67.61	14.46
1957-58 ..		3,567	48.15	24.80	35.83	55.39	69.34	15.83
Latest 6 Mths., 1958		1,037	25.01	13.53	18.65	17.92	31.78	8.10
Same 6 Mths., 1957		1,131	23.54	15.10	18.37	19.47	30.60	7.25
Latest 3 Mths., 1958		550	13.07	6.54	10.09	8.57	15.23	4.12
Same 3 Mths., 1957		627	12.32	7.20	9.87	8.67	14.80	3.63
Month, 1957 July ..		151	4.06	2.63	3.11	2.91	r 5.04	1.26
August..		188	4.36	2.43	3.37	2.80	4.92	1.20
September		288	r 3.90	2.14	3.39	2.96	6.17	1.17
October		311	r 4.86	2.08	3.68	3.04	6.23	1.40
November		395	3.98	1.78	3.20	2.24	6.34	1.39
December		483	3.66	1.37	2.50	2.24	6.92	1.47
1958 January		537	3.20	1.34	2.35	13.88	6.81	1.32
February		386	4.04	1.90	2.95	9.93	5.57	1.29
March ..		341	4.15	2.14	2.72	6.04	5.79	1.35
April ..		244	3.82	2.37	2.75	2.88	5.53	1.31
May ..		146	4.47	2.42	3.07	3.17	5.23	1.42
June ..		97	3.65	2.20	2.74	3.30	4.79	1.25
July ..		112	4.43	2.46	3.16	3.38	5.09	1.43
August..		167	4.41	2.04	3.54	3.14	5.35	1.31
September		271	4.23	2.04	3.39	2.05		1.38

(a) Prior to July, 1956 includes Tasmanian production.

(b) From 1955-56 onwards represents quantity produced (inc.waste) as recorded by Department of Customs and Excise.

(c) From 1954-55 onwards represents quantity upon which Excise Duty was paid.

(d) Includes small quantity of cigarettes produced in Western Australia.